

## Proposed Bill No. 6071

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LCO No. 3038

Referred to Committee on Judiciary

Introduced by: REP. URBAN, 43rd Dist.

## AN ACT EXTENDING THE COVERAGE OF A RESTRAINING OR PROTECTIVE ORDER TO THE PET OF A DOMESTIC VIOLENCE VICTIM.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to provide that when a
- 2 restraining or protective order is issued in a domestic violence case, the
- 3 judge may extend such order to include the pet of the victim and
- 4 prohibit the alleged abuser harming or threatening to harm such pet.

## Statement of Purpose:

To prevent abusers in domestic violence cases from harming the pets of the abused victims.